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THE CROSS IN THE FAR NORTH.

Bishop Seghers' Narrative of his Trip.

St. Michael's, Alaska Territory
Lat. 63° 30° N. July 15th, 1877

SATURDAY, June 30th, we dropped our anchor in the harbor of Illewlek, on Ounalaska Island, a point seven hundred and fifty miles north of Kodiac. Difference of time with Victoria two hours and fifty minutes.

At the entrance of this bay there is a most conspicuous rock standing by itself and rising upwards of a hundred feet above the surrounding water. This rock is suitably styled "The Bishop" and at a certain distance it really bears a strong resemblance to a Bishop clad in his ecclesiastical attire and with his hand raised to impart his blessing.

SUNDAY, July 1st., was a memorable day with us for the important reason that Father Mandart was enabled to celebrate Mass for the people on shore, and I was fortunate enough to find a Mason & Hamlin parlor organ in these far away regions so that we had the customary auxiliaries of singing music to the celebration of the Divine mysteries. In the evening we also had the happiness of singing vespers, and thus the praises of God were chanted in this land so remote from the civilized haunts of men.

WEDNESDAY, July 4th, was indeed a glorious day in this Northern hemisphere and we celebrated it with as much eclat as if we were on the banks of the beautiful Columbia. Our bunting was flung to the breeze, the cannon proclaimed the natal day of American Independence, and besides we had canoe races, wheelbarrow races, climbing a greased pole, boat racing, sack racing, whilst the pastimes were interpersed with a procession, reading the Declaration of Independence, and speeches appropriate to the patriotic festival of American liberty upon American soil.

Next day the schooner General Miller arrived bringing down from St. Michael's an Indian prisoner charged with the murder of a whiteman named Boyle or Doyle, on the Nuchergak river, in Alaska. On Saturday the revenue cutter Russ steamed into the harbor, and next day we took our departure bound for St. George's Island, which we reached on Monday, July 9th, but, as the weather was very rough, our captain deemed it unsafe to attempt a landing, so we steamed on towards St. Paul, leaving St. George on the lee side.

The Island of St. Paul, where we arrived on the same day at two o'clock p. m. is about forty miles long, it is situated in the Behring Sea. Here we landed for a short time but when returning to the steamer our boat was closely followed by a magnificent specimen of a sea lion who kept in our wake only a few yards distant with his majestic head clear out of the water, thus giving us a rare opportunity to observe his shape and size. And well does the noble monster of the mighty deep deserve his name, because he resembles the king of the animal kingdom more than any other creature. The specimen we saw was apparently as large as an ox.

THE SEAL FISHERIES.

It would take more time than I can spare to give you an account of the vast number of seals to be seen on St. Paul's Island, and even were I to attempt it my description would fall far short of the reality. The adjacent waters are literally alive with them, whilst they swarm so thickly along the shore that the coast seems one black mass, whilst their fearful howling is deafening to an unaccustomed ear, and the whole scene makes an impression on me that time cannot efface. A short distance from the shore we stopped in front of a drove of about a thousand seals kept together by several natives for the purpose of being killed with their clubs so as to secure their valuable skin which is the most marketable commodity in these regions.

Tuesday, July 15th, again having got under way of St. Michael, and next day we passed St. Matthew's Island where the officers of the Reliance last year killed several white bears. This island is in 172° longitude west, being the most westerly point reached by us on this voyage. At eight degrees farther west we would be compelled to count the degrees East. Here we had no darkness during the night of July 12th, when we passed the St. Lawrence island. The difference of time between this point and Victoria in three hours and fifteen minutes, whilst the variation of the needle is so great to the east that the point designated as north-east by the compass is due north.

Friday, July 18th, we came almost to the end of our present voyage, having entered Norton Sound in Lat. 64° and cast anchor off St. Michael's the next day, which was the feast on Bonaventure, which is synonymous with "Welcome," a most auspicious beginning to our arrival in this new field of the Faith. Thus ended the first part of our projected journey, and here we are at St. Michaels, through the providence of God, safely landed after a journey of two thousand eight hundred and thirty miles, without a single mishap to mar the pleasure of our missionary journey. But our destination is not yet reached as we have to make preparations for ascending the Youkon river for a distance of at least eighteen hundred miles more. The little stern-wheel steamer which plies on the Youkon river having departed a few days prior to our arrival, we shall have to make the voyage in a canoe, but whilst I am thus delayed in preparing for our next journey I will avail myself of the time in order to learn all I can about the topography of the country its climate, the natives, and above all the study of its various languages, which, in in itself, is almost a Herculean task, when one considers that there are no less than twenty-three different dialects. Our European ideas of arithmetic, too, must be cast aside in this region, if we expect to be accounted good scholars, as two and two do *not* make four in Alaska! In order to to count "seven" the Indians here repeat "two," count "eight" they repeat "three;" to count "nine" they repeat "four," so that twice two, (with them) is *seven*, three are *eight*, and twice four is *nine*? And then the dialects themselves, along with being numerous, have the almost unsurmountable difficulty of words almost endless! Thus, for instance, the numeral "eight" is called by the Mahlenuits—'pinyusumlagwinuleet,' and the number 'nine' by the still longer cognomen of 'nikoznaklakaythlukelkulla' (!) If the length of the words increase according to numerical expression, I can scarcely imagine how much space it would take to write down the denomination of thousand!

Father Mandart thinks it would take about twenty-five years to visit all the tribes and localities in this vast field of missionary duty, so you can imagine what a vast land has to be won to the cross. It is not likely that I shall visit Fort Youkon this year as I learn theare are no Indians on the upper portion of the river, nor south of Fort Youkon for nearly four hundred miles. But then, of course, my movements must comport with circumstances which will arise in the future, but our aim will bet o carry the faith to every portion of this land, and with God's help we will carry out this design to the best of our ability.

Murder Will Out.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discovered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver complaint, a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Druggists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, indigestion, low spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist .....and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it—Sample bottles 10 cents.

Peruvian Syrup.

Brooks, Me., Sept. 7, 1870.

Dear Sir—From early youth I was in feeble health, troubled with humor in my blood, weakness and debility, of the system generally; was unable to labor much, and only at some light business, and then only with great caution. Seven years ago, the past spring, I had a severe attack of Diptheria which left my limbs paralized and useless, so I was unable to walk or even sit up. Noticing the advertisement of PERUVIAN SYRUP, I concluded to give it a trial, and to my great joy soon found my health improving, I continued the use of the SYRUP until three bottles had been used, and was restored to complete health, and have remained so till this day. I attribute my present health entirely to the use of PERUVIAN SYRUP, and hold it in high estimation. I cannot speak too highly in its praise. I have in several cases recommended it in cases very similar to my own and with the same good results.

Yours truly. CHARLES E. PERCY.

DR. JAMES

Has removed to Broughton street opposite the City Chambers. Philip James, M. D., Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife when taken in time. **Rheumatism cured in one hour without pain.** He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits.

MRS. JAMES, Midwife of long experience and successful practice in this city, is open to engagement with ladies to attend them at their home, or they can be accommodated at her residence.

N. B.—Special attention given to all diseases of women and children.

THE arrival of the Amelia Ross and Prince Rupert adds the largest stock of Pianos, Harmoniums, Organs and musical novelties to Messrs. Bagnall & Co.'s establishment ever imported. Amongst the celebrated makers on view are Alexander & Son's, Bord, Broadwood & Son-Boosey & Co., Collard & Collard, Christopher & Etenne, Debain, Ivory & Co., Peloubet, Peltan & Co., Thibouville and others. Instruments at all prices and on easy terms.—MESSRS. BAGNALL & Co., 19, Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Established 1863.

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"WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY gives universal satisfaction. It seems to cure a cough by loosening and cleansing the lungs, and allaying irritation, thus removing the cause, instead of drying up the cough and leaving the cause behind. I consider the BALSAM the best cough medicine with which I am acquainted." Sold by all druggists.

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanite plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the irritation, something caused by rubber or nonconducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never done before, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.—The highest cash price will be paid for Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wearing apparel at Haggerty's Store on Dufferin street. Parties desirous of discontinuing housekeeping can meet a cash buyer for all household effects by applying at the above address.

THE undersigned have much pleasure in announcing that they have secured the sole agency for the Province of the celebrated Centennial Prize Medal Organ, manufactured by W. Bell & Co., Guelph, Ontario. An extensive and varied assortment has just arrived, and intending purchasers are invited to call and examine.
M. W. WAITT & Co.
3mos. * Government Street.

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Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co.'s store. * *

REMOVAL.—Dr. R. B. Thompson, Dentist, has removed to temporary offices in the Masonic Building, Government street. * *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province *

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Dig Up and Throw Away your Typhoid-Breeding Wooden Drains.

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VITRIFIED STONE SEWER AND DRAIN PIPES,

Cheaper than Wood & Warranted Healthier

3-inch Bore Pipe at 20 cents per foot.

Prices for Larger Bores pro rata.
se13 W. R. CLARKE & CO.

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JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER CITY of Panama,

EXTRA CHOICE
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OF THE NEW CROP. For sale by
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Highest Cash Price
PAID FOR
Furs and Deer Skins.

THE BUSINESS OF L. & J. BOSCOWITZ will be continued as heretofore at the present premises, Wharf street. se20

ON HAND
Dealerin
Groceries, Dry Goods,
Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
HAS REMOVED
To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.
Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. e11

PETER OASTERHOUT,
DEALER IN
Hardware, Crockery, Glass & Tinware,
Lamps, Cooking Utensils, Tools, Clocks, Furniture, Sashes and Shingles,
Highest Market Rates given for Second-hand Furniture.
au22 JOHNSON STREET, opposite Store St.

Notices.

MILITARY COLLEGE, KINGSTON

SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS FOR CANdidates desiring to be admitted as cadets to the Military College will be held at the Head Quarters of Military Districts in which such candidates reside, on the 3rd July and 18th December next, (1877.)

All necessary information may be obtained upon application to the Adjutant General at Ottawa, or to the Deputy Adjutants General of Military Districts. Applications for admission must be sent to the Adjutant General not less than one month before date of examination.

By Order,
W. POWELL, Colonel.
Adjutant-General.
HEAD QUARTERS, Ottawa, 21th April, 1877. my1 1dw6m

Assessment Act, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tax under the provisions of the Assessment Act, 1876, is past due, and all parties whose Taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's office Government street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.
my8 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

ASSAYING.
William J. Sutton,
(Lately of the School of Mines, New York,)

HAS FITTED UP AN ASSAY FURNACE along with Chemicals and Blow-pipe Apparatus, and is prepared to assay gold and silver ores, or test for the common metals. Orders by express or post attended to. Results communicated with the utmost expedition.
RESIDENCE—Fisgard street, fourth door east of St. John's Church. se6

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of FREDERICK RICHARDSON, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 25th November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON, Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 25th Aug., 1877. au26dw

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of JAMES SALISBURY, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 10th day of November, 1877, to HENRY S. MASON, Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 10th Aug., 1877. au26dw

SCHOOL TAX, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE School Tax for the year 1877 is due and payable to the undersigned on and after the 1st July proximo. All male residents of 18 years and upwards are required to pay the said Tax under the provisions of "School Tax Act, 1876."
e30 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar by every steamer for Fort Wrangel. Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded. Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.
J. JOHNSTON,
fe25 Agent for the BRITISH COLONIST.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE undersigned and William Sampson, carrying on business at the Post Office Saloon, Victoria, is dissolved from this date. EUGENE CLARKE.
5th September, 1877. se6

In the Matter of Andrew Gratton, Deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL PERsons indebted or having property belonging to the estate are required to pay or deliver the same respectively to Messrs. Drake & Jackson; and all persons having claims against the Estate are required to present same on or before the 26th November prox.
Dated at Cassiar, the 31st day of August, A.D. 1877.
CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Solicitor for Henry Thibert, Administrator.
se15dw

NOTICE—Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP BUSINESS HEREfore carried on between the undersigned as Watchmakers and Jewellers, in the city of Victoria, is dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by Hy. Rudolph, who will settle all partnership accounts.
J. L. JUNGERMANN,
Witness—W. Pollard. HY. RUDOLPH.
Dated 8th Sept., 1877. se11

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts

In the matter of LEON ECKSTEIN, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED in this cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Monday the 24th day of September, 1877, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit, and for the ordering of his affairs generally.
C. T. DUPONT,
Victoria, Sept. 6th, 1877. Official Assignee. se14

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
Commission Merchants,
OFFER FOR SALE
IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

ALE—Bass & Co's, bottled by the London and Burton Bottled Beer Company, in prime order.
CHAMPAGNE—Piper-Hiedsick, in pints & quarts.
BURGUNDY—Guildard-Potheret, extra fine.
PORT—In hogsheads, pipes, quarters and octaves.
SHERRY—Duff-Gordon, in quarter casks.
CLARET—St. Julien.
BRANDY—Hennessy and Martell, in case & bulk.
WHISKEY—Jesse Moore & Co's Kentucky.
GIN—Red Case.
CIGARS—A large assortment of Havana

Commercial Row, Wharf Street.
Sept. 3rd, 1877. se4

Tung Khu Oan, M. D.,
FROM HONGKONG,
Government Street, opp. Pandora,

TREATS ALL KINDS OF DISEASE SUCcessfully and is duly qualified, as his Certificates will show. au24 1m

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4,000 Tons Burthen,

Will carry Passengers from Puget Sound and Victoria on an Excursion Trip to San Francisco, who may Return by her or any other of the Company's steamers.

The Constitution will sail from Esquimalt on
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1st, at Noon.
TICKETS will be issued for the ROUND TRIP at
Forty Dollars Each!

Tickets will not be Transferable.

This will be the best opportunity of visiting San Francisco in a first-class steamer at a Lower Rater of Fare than has ever been offered to the public of Puget Sound and British Columbia.

Apply to
ENGELHARDT & CO.,
se21dw Agents, Victoria.

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OTTER,
CAPTAIN..... McCULLOCH
Will leave the H. B. Co's wharf for Fort Wrangel and way ports
On SATURDAY Morning, 22nd SEPT.
The Purser must be furnished with an invoice of all goods for Cassiar, otherwise they will be detained at Wrangel.
For Particulars as to Freight and Passage, apply on board. se21

Ship "Cape Clear," from San Francisco.

NEITHER CAPT. TUPMAN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
Wharf st., 17th Sept., 1877. se18

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPT. ANGEL NOR THE UNDERsigned, will be responsible for any debts incurred by the crew of the barque Halton Castle, from Liverpool. WELCH, RITHET & Co.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 15th. se16

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

THE FAST SAILING BRIG
DEUX AMIS,
BOUGET, Master,
Will leave San Francisco for Victoria direct on or about the 25th inst., carrying Freight at Reduced Rates. For further particulars apply to the undersigned or to Messrs. Cills & Co., 38, California street, San Francisco. S. J. PITTS, Agent.
Sept. 8th. se9

Bark Ocean Gem, from Honolulu.

NEITHER CAPT. C. HOFFMAN NOR THE owner will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
au28 CAPT. C. HOFFMAN.

ALLAN LINE
ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS,
From Quebec to Liverpool, Glasgow and Londonderry, Sailing Every Saturday.
Cabin, $70; Steerage, $25; Return Tickets at Reduced Rates.

PERSONS WISHING TO SEND FOR THEIR friends from England, Ireland or Scotland can purchase Tickets good for one year at Lowest Rates.
GARESCHE, GREEN & CO.,
Agents, Victoria.
Office, Wells, Fargo & Co
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NOTICE.

McALLISTER BROS.

BEG TO INFORM OWNERS & Masters of Ships that the
POWERFUL STEAM-TUG
"Alexander"
Will be ready on or about the 15th May
To Tow Ships entering the Straits of Juan de Fuca, to and from any Port in British Columbia.

Ship masters will find it to their advantage to secure this Boat, as she is one of the most powerful vessels of the kind afloat, as well as having **Double Disconnecting Engines**, which is a guarantee of safety to ships in tow of her.

For terms apply on board at DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO'S Wharf.
Victoria, May 9th. my10

For Yale and Way Ports.

THE FAST AND FAVORITE steamer
ROYAL CITY,
CAPT. JOHN IRVING,
Carrying H. M. Mail & Barnard's Express,

Leaves New Westminster for Yale and Way Ports on Wednesday and Saturday, and returns from Yale to New Westminster on Monday and Friday.
For Freight or Passage enquire on board. my30

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Carrying the Northern Mails.

THE WELL-KNOWN FAST AND favorite steamship
CALIFORNIA,
CAPTAIN THORN,
Connecting at Wrangel with the Stickeen River Steamers **Beaver** and **Gertrude** for Cassiar.
Having Superior Accommodations for Passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about
Thursday, October 4th.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent,
je12 Office at P. McQuade & Son's.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Barque "Halton Castle," Capt. T. E. Angel, from Liverpool.

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE cargo at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf on and after Monday the 17th inst.

Consignees are requested to present Bills of Lading to the undersigned by whom, on payment of freight, delivery orders will be issued.

Goods remaining on the wharf after five o'clock p. m. each day will be at risk of consignees thereof, respectively.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of "Halton Castle."
Victoria, B.C., 13th Sept., 1877. se14

Miscellaneous.

TO EAST COAST PRODUCERS.

W. R. Clarke & Co.
AUCTIONEERS,

HAVING A FIREPROOF WAREHOUSE and superior facilities for Storing and Selling Goods, respectfully solicit consignments of

Wheat, Oats, Hay, Potatoes, Stock (Dead or Alive), Furs, Skins, Oils, &c.,

Which they will dispose of at FIVE PER CENT. COMMISSION.

Rapid Sales and Quick Returns. se11dw

LIST OF PROPERTY

On which Taxes have been due and unpaid for Three Years and upwards, and which will be Sold on the Fifth day of December, 1877, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, at 12 noon, in pursuance of the "Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1877," unless in the meantime the Arrears of Taxes and Costs due in respect of each lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid.

Lot.	Block.	Amount of Taxes.	Amount of Interest	Total.	Costs.
6	12	$41 50	$11 6	$53 13	$ 4 15
½43	14	22 37	7 44	29 81	3 00
½62	23	35 00	8 40	43 40	3 70
87	26	34 56	12 12	46 68	3 82
106	12	60 75	15 45	76 20	5 30
Part 121	13	148 50	26 64	175 14	10 25
143	V	240 00	40 32	280 32	16 00
Part 178-9	1	49 00	18 24	67 24	4 86
244	27	57 50	16 80	74 30	5 25
245	27	28 00	8 40	36 40	3 32
309	11	21 00	4 80	25 80	2 80
379	4	30 00	9 00	9 50	3 10
½380		2 00	6 00	35 00	3 25
402	W	29 00	8 74	37 74	2 38
Part 416 17	13	110 86	33 00	143 86	8 70
535	T	290 00	75 60	365 60	19 80
602-3	M Subdv. 8	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
618-19	M Subdv. 4	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
644	K	21 35	7 00	28 35	2 92
658	U	30 00	75	39 75	3 50
659	U	64 00	21 09	85 09	5 75
682	21	62 50	15 60	78 10	5 40
684	S	21 25	5 65	26 90	2 85
710	R	22 52	7 17	29 64	3 00
711	K	134 02	41 54	175 56	10 30
717	Q	21 58	7 50	29 08	2 95
813	5	21 50	6 81	28 34	2 91
829	5	20 75	8 75	29 50	3 00
830	5	41 50	17 46	58 96	4 44
831	5	36 00	6 42	42 42	3 62
867	Y	34 48	13 52	48 00	3 90
876	J	19 00	6 42	25 42	2 78
E½876	J	20 71	6 50	27 21	2 86
941	42	22 19	10 07	32 26	3 11
942	42	19 31	7 38	26 69	2 83
975	6	28 68	8 21	36 89	3 35
1018	20	20 00	5 00	25 00	2 75
1023	20	28 13	11 00	39 19	3 50
1697	25	187 88	61 44	249 32	14 00
5 Acre Lots					
No. III	Part Subdv. 5	31 76	8 74	40 50	3 50
" IV	Subdv. 10	29 31	8 89	38 20	3 42
" V	Part Subdv. 2	45 17	11 80	56 97	4 34
" VI	Subdv. 4 & 5	62 29	25 68	87 97	5 90
" X	2	45 60	10 44	55 44	4 27
" X	3	60 00	10 41	70 41	5 00
" X	4	45 00	10 44	55 44	4 27
Acre Lots					
No. XIII	Subdv. 48	29 18	10 60	39 78	3 50
No. XVII		158 81	57 75	216 56	12 34
Fairfield.					
Sec.	37	50 00	9 00	59 06	4 50
Sec.	39	44 00	7 92	51 92	4 10
Sec.	40	60 00	10 80	70 80	5 04

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.
5th September, 1877. se5

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM the public that the fire on Sunday morning will not interrupt his business, and that he will be found at his post as usual.

The usual Complete Stock will be found on hand comprising:

Double and Single Barreled Breech Loaders,
MUZZLE LOADERS, PISTOLS,
Opera Glasses, Pocket Compasses,
Pocket & Sporting Cutlery, &c.
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Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 25TH, 1877.

OUR FISHERIES.

The salmon fisheries of Fraser River are beginning to attract attention in Eastern Canada, and astonishment is expressed there at the ability of this Province to add largely to the supply of fish-food consumed in Europe and elsewhere. Some remarks which we offered on this subject a few weeks since have been extensively copied and commented on by the Eastern press. The *Free Press* of Ottawa adopts many of our suggestions and says: "Some of the most valuable fisheries of North America are those located on the Pacific Coast of the Dominion. We observe by the last number of the Victoria COLONIST that a vessel lately left that port for the London (Eng.) market, carrying a cargo of 20,000 cases of salmon, valued at $140,000. This is represented as being about one seventh of the season's catch on the Fraser River, the year's operation being expected to yield about $900,000. The importance of these valuable fisheries can be estimated when it is stated that the west coast of the United States only contains one salmon producing river, while on the British American coast there are no less than *seven*—the Fraser, Skeena (the only two worked, and these only partially) Stickeen, Nass, Tarcoo, Cowichan and Salmon, all rich in the possession of this valuable fish. Unfortunately, the want of foresight of Canada's unfortunate Commissioner in the negotiation of the Washington Treaty has debarred British Columbia from the privilege of the United States market, so that these valuable fisheries have not been of so much importance to the trade of the Province as otherwise might have been the case. Latterly, however, attention has been directed to the London market, and a large trade is springing up, which will no doubt be rapidly developed to important magnitude. Several fishing companies have already been formed in San Francisco to fish in British Columbia waters, and it might be a prudent course to take to reciprocate with the United States for the shabby manner in which, by a quibble, British Columbian fish were excluded from the United States markets to prevent American fishermen from having access to our in shore fisheries on the Pacific coast until that Province is allowed the full enjoyment of the privileges conceded to other parts of the Dominion under the Washinton Treaty. At all events it is evident that the Dominion is possessed of a very great source of wealth on the British Columbia coast in these important fisheries, and it will be the part of wisdom to take steps to promote the development of these fisheries, as well as to apply such regulations as are in force in other parts of the Dominion to prevent the destruction of the fish in a reckless manner, as is likely to be the case without proper restrictions. THE COLONIST thinks that with suitable restrictions properly enforced, and a close season, these salmon fisheries would be practically inexhaustible."

"ANNEXATION."

The *Standard's* (or rather Mr. DeCosmos') loyalty (?) is shocked at the remarks of the Mayor at the Eckstein banquet. The newspaper that a year ago called Lord Dufferin a "Vice-Regal spy" and threatened secession if he did not promise to bring the railway *via* Bute Inlet, would require a stiff dose of treason to shock its loyal sensibility. Nothing that the Mayor said at that dinner could compare, for disloyalty, with Amor DeCosmos' truculent articles a year ago, or with his frothy speeches on the floor of the House of Commons. The Mayor's remark concerning the doing away of Consuls was harmless. The *Standard* itself calls it "bumcombe," and "buncombe" means empty, nothing. The Mayor, doubtless, intended to forshadow a sort of international millenium, in which the British lion should occupy the same nest with the American eagle without the bird feeling at all concerned for the safety of its feathers. But if he meant annexation (which we don't believe he did) the Mayor will find that nine out of every ten men in the country condemn the sentiment. The annexationists of British Columbia if placed in rank wouldn't count as many noses as the Falstaffian army.

CANADA.

Major Walsh and Sitting Bull.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The *World's* Fort Walsh, British territory, correspondence says: Major Walsh has just returned from a visit to Sitting Bull, with whom he had a long interview. The Sioux Chief's force now numbering about 1,100 souls, is still camped at Horse Buttes, 40 miles this side of Wood Mountain. Sitting Bull rode 50 miles with Walsh and was more than ordinarily communicative. He declares he is sick and tired of fighting, but Walsh says the old man appeared to be weakening in his desire to make terms with the American commissioners and return to the States. Had the commissioners come here a month ago—no doubt Sitting Bull would have cheerfully returned with them on any reasonable terms. Delay, Walsh fears, will render their mission abortive. Sitting Bull hears all the news from Fort Benton, and his runners thence have carried back alarming stories to the effect that if the Sioux are induced to cross the frontier by the commissioners, General Miles with a large force will ambush them on the Missouri and wipe them off the face of the earth. The gathering of American troops in northern Montana, has, in a manner, confirmed these stories, and Sitting Bull fears or professes to fear treachery. Sitting Bull has said if the commissoners did not meet him before the first snowfall, he would remain on British soil during the winter. He has plenty of ammunition.

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Mayor Drake and the Canadians.

EDITOR COLONIST.—The ill-considered and equally ill-timed remarks of Mayor Drake at the Eckstein dinner have caused considerable comment and annoyed many of our most esteemed citizens because the gratuitous insult offered them by the Mayor of Victoria. Perhaps Mr. Drake, who I understand lived in Canada, was not received into as good society there as he anticipated, and hence his bad feelings towards Canadians. It may be possible that he did not afford his friends in England, prior to his departure for Canada, an opportunity of entertaining him as Mr. Eckstien was entertained here; if so he might have been better treated in Canada, and would be now a loyal Englishman instead of an annexationist. He left his country for his country's good, is an old saying and may suit the present case. Whatever Mr. Drake's private opinions are he has no right to insult the loyal people of this place. I have no doubt there is room enough for him in the United States and I believe that the British Empire, especially that portion of it known as British Columbia, would survive the loss. A TRUE BRITON.

Victoria, 24th Sept., 1877.

QUICKEST TIME ON RECORD—NEW GOODS TWENTY-EIGHT DAYS FROM ENGLAND.—Brown & White have just received their first instalment of fall goods, comprising new dress goods, ulsters, silk and wool fringes, buttons in great variety, ribbons, silks, laces, nets, woolen cloths, corsets, etc., etc. ∴

GRAND opening of the Pavilion Skating Rink, Fort street, for the recreative amusement of skating on Thursday evening, the 27th inst. Neither children nor beginners will be allowed to skate on this evening. For particulars see advertisement. ∴

PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.—Orders left with M. W. Waitt & Co., Government street, or P.O. box 145, will be promptly attended to by Oliver H. Goodwin. 3m*

DR. J. CALDER, Dentist, has returned from a professional tour on the Mainland and is now ready to wait on those who may require his services. Office on Fort street. ∴

New Advertisements

Douglas Memorial Committee.

A MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE WILL be held at the City Council Chambers on Wednesday the 26th inst., at 3 p.m. se25

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Government St., opp. Colonist Office,

Will be glad to see his numerous friends and acquaintances on and after this date.

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Victoria, September 24th. se25

North and South Saanich Agricultural Society.

A BALL

WILL BE HELD ON THE NIGHT OF the Exhibition.

Tickets, including Supper, admitting Gentleman and Ladies, $2.

Music by Professor Haynes.

se25 ALEX. ANDERSON, Jr., Hon. Secty.

Administrator's Notice.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of William P. Barry, deceased, are requested to send in the same to the undersigned at Barkerville; and any person indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to

MICHAEL BARRY,
Administrator of Estate of
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Barkerville, Sept. 14, 1877. se25dw

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR Sale at reasonable prices the thoroughbred Shorthorn Bull "Central Pacific," of Booth Stock, sired by "Bismarck," an English Bull of note. Dam, "Acacia," imported in calf from England, by the well-known Canadian breeder and importer M. H. Cochran, of Compton, Quebec. "Central's" Stock can be seen here and at Capt. Walker's, Yates street, Victoria.

Grade Shorthorn Cows in calf by "Central Pacific."
Three well-grown Bull Calves.
Two Grey Geldings, good saddle horses and accustomed to single and double harness, one has often been used as a lady's horse.
One handsome Bay Gelding, good in waggon or plough.
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Several young thoroughbred and grade Berkshire Boars; some breeding Sows, grade Berkshire.

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Cloverdale, V.D., Saanich Road.,
Sept. 24th, 1877. se25

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Cowichan District.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Cowichan Gaol," will be received by the undersigned, up to 12 o'clock, on Monday, 8th October next, for the construction of a Lockup and Court-room at Cowichan.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and blank forms of Tender and agreement to execute Bond can be obtained, at the office of James Charley, Esq., Maple Bay, and at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works, Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an agreement to execute a bond, duly signed by the Contractor himself, and two other responsible residents of the Province, in a penal sum amounting to $250 for the faithful completion of the work.

Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms except there are attached the actual signature and place of residence of each member of the same.

No Tender will be accepted unless accompanied with an agreement to execute a bond as above.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 24th Sept., 1877. se25

New Advertisements

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REAL ESTATE.

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Farming Lands in Esquimalt and Metchosin Districts.
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Full particulars in a few days.

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The Complete Machinery, Engines and Boilers,

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The BOILERS are nearly new, having been in use but about two months.

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1 Pair CYLINDERS 12 inches bore, 41 inches stroke, 64 horse power.
2 Pistons fitted with patent packing rings, rods 2½ in. dia., valve rods 1¼ in. dia., and slide valves complete.
2 Cross heads fitted to piston rods.
8 Slide brasses, set screws and nuts.
4 Bed plates, 4 slide bars.
2 Rock shafts with pillar blocks.
2 Feed pumps and plungers, with arms fitted to piston rod, nuts, glands and set screws.
2 Check valves 2½ inches dia. fitted to pumps, valves, bonnets and set screws, complete.
35 feet copper feed pipe 2 in. dia. connecting to boilers.
2 Eccentric rods, with solid wrought iron forked hooks, straps and guides for ditto, and all connections to rock shaft.
1 STEM WHEEL SHAFT 14 ft. 4 in. long 5½ inches dia., with wrought iron cranks and crank pins, pillar blocks, eccentrics, and 3 flanges 3 ft. dia. complete.
2 Pitments 22 feet long, fitted with wrought iron straps the entire length, gibs, keys and brasses, and braced on sides.
1 Starting bar and quadrant, 2 links and balance weight for reversing engine.
56 ft of 3½in. heavy copper steampipe.
59ft. 6in. of 4in. copper exhaust pipe.
1 Throttle valve 3½in. dia., fitted with valve, stem and lever.
1 Bleeder pipe and globe valve.
1 Spare cylinder head.
1 Exhaust branch pipe, with internal feed pipe connected to heater.
1 Heater 16ft. 6in. long, 17in. diameter, thickness of plate 5-16in., containing 16 2in. tubes and 2 wrought iron heads.
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1 Double Cylinder FORCE PUMP, with air chambers, brass plungers, beam and levers complete, for washing decks and feeding boilers.
1 Fire front, 3 furnace doors, with liners, bearing bars, etc.
40 Grate bars 4ft. 6in. long.
1 Smoke stack 32ft. long and 26in. dia.
1 Umbrella band for guys, breeching with damper.
3 Stays for smoke stack, 1 casing for boiler.
30 Braces for supporting ditto.
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2 TUBULAR BOILERS 14ft. long, 2ft 8in. dia., 5-16 plate, longitudinal seams, double rivoted.
36 2½ in. tubes in each boiler, one wrought iron nozzle on each boiler for mud drum.
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Boilers in excellent condition, being used only two months.
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2 Cylinder cocks, 2 tallow cups.
1 No. 5 Gifford's brass injector.
5 Wrought iron segments for rim of stern wheel.
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CURACOA, Maraschino, Pausse Cafe, Vermouth, Absinthe, Cassis, Kirschwasser, Chartreuse, Boker's Bitters, Moniette's Bitters.

WHARF ST., Victoria, Sept. 22, 1877. se22

NOTICE.

Ship "Cape Clear," Captain Tupman, from San Francisco.

THE TIME FOR RECEIVING TENDERS for the Repairs to the above vessel has been extended to Tuesday, the 25th inst., at 10 o'clock a.m.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Agents for Capt. Tupman.

Victoria, B C., 22d Sept., 1877. se23

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THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent,
Government St., 23d Sept., 1877. se23

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
29th September, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint T. J. SKINNER, Esq, to form a Court of Revision and Appeal for the Polling Division of Salt Spring Island and the Islands adjacent thereto, under the "Assessment Act, 1876," vice H. RUCKLE, Esq. se23

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A MIDDLE-AGED OR ELDERLY WOman, without incumbrance, can find employment as cook in Cache Creek Boarding School. Wages $40 per month.

Applications to be sent to the Education Office, Victoria, where further particulars may be ascertained.

se20 1w (Mainland Guardian copy.)

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REQUIRED AT THE REFORMED EPISCOPAL Church. Application by letter with terms to be addressed to the CHURCHWARDENS, P. O. Box 170.

Victoria, Sept. 15th. se16

Wanted.

A RESPECTABLE COGNAC FIRM WISHES to engage the services of an able and responsible agent.

Please address offers to S. 816, care Rudolf Mosse, at Hamburg (Germany). se7

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BY A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN, LATELY arrived from San Francisco, a situation to Cook and do Washing and Ironing. Apply on Chatham street, opposite Captain Clarke's. se7

MEDICAL OFFICER WANTED.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE RESIGNAtion of Dr. McInnes, the Vancouver Coal Company require a Medical Officer.

Applications for the position may be made or sent on or before the 30th inst., to the Company's office at Nanaimo, B.C., where particulars can be obtained.

Nanaimo, B.C., 1st Sept., 1877. se6

Wanted.

BY A YOUNG MAN RECENTLY ARRIVED from England, employment as farm manager, or working foreman. Has had good experience in all branches connected with farming and stockraising. Address "B.A.," office of this paper. se5dw2w

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A RESPECTABLE WOMAN TO DO LIGHT housework in the country. Situation easy and permanent. Apply by letter, stating age and references, to "A. B.," offic of this paper. se2 1m

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SKATING RINK.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM the public that he will open the new and magnificently fitted Hall on Fort street,

FOR SKATING,

On Thursday Evening next, the 27th inst.

The Hall will also be opened on Saturday Afternoon and Evening the 29th instant, after which the Hall will be open

Every Monday and Saturday Evenings, from 8 to 10 o'clock,

And on Saturday Afternoons from 2 to 4 o'clock.

PRICES OF ADMISSION—Ladies as spectators on the floor, Free; Gentleman, 25 cents; for the privilege of Skating for Ladies and Gentlemen, 25 cents extra; admission to the gallery as spectators 50 cts. Season Tickets may be obtained for a month at a cheaper rate.

N. B.—The undersigned is now prepared to Rent the Hall for private Skating Clubs, Parties, Balls or Concerts of all kinds at Reasonable Rates.

se20 B. C. PETTINGILL.

NOTICE.

Ship "Cape Clear," Capt. Tupman, from San Francisco.

TENDERS ARE INVITED UP TO MONday the 24th inst., at 10 o'clock a.m., for certain repairs to the above vessel.

Specifications of the work required can be seen at office of the undersigned on and after To-day (Friday)

Each Tender must be accompanied by good and sufficient surety for the due fulfilment of the contract, and to state the time required to complete the same,

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Agents for Capt. Tupman.

Victoria, B.C., 20th Sept., 1877. se21

To Carpenters.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY office on Kane street, where plans and specifications may be seen till 2 p.m. on the 26th instant, for the erection of a wooden building in the suburbs of Victoria. THOS. TROUNCE,

se22 Architect.

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Water will be turned off on Tuesday morning the 25th of September, at 11 a.m., and will remain off until Wednesday evening, for the purpose of commencing the repairs of the stone dam.

se23 F. W. GREEN, Water Com'r.

Washing and Ironing.

SAM, LATELY DOING BUSINESS IN partnership with Sam Cheng, on Blanchard St., hereby informs the public of Victoria that he has taken the premises next door to Dr. Trimble, on Broad street, where he is prepared to do all kinds of Laundry work at the lowest rates. se22

Bayswater House.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE that they have opened the Store next (south) to Mr. Sehl's Furniture Store, Government street, with a choice assortment of

FANCY DRY GOODS.

Parties favoring them with a call will receive every attention.

se9 M. & F. GOODWIN.

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, and 5 in the evening. mh4

Fire Department.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Election for Chief and Assistant Engineers of the Victoria Fire Department will take place on MONDAY, October 1st, 1877, at the house of Deluge Engine Co. No. 1, Yates street, Victoria.

The Ballot Papers will be furnished by the Secretary, and all members whose names appear on the Fifty-day and Ten-day Rolls will be entitled to vote.

The Poll will open at 10 a.m. and close at 4 p.m.

CHAS. HAYWARD.
se20 President V. F. D.

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LOVETT'S ANNUAL RAFFLE,

TO COME OFF DECEMBER 2nd, AT THE Pavilion Skating Rink.

1st Prize—A Large Diamond 5¼ carat Ring and Pin, worth $1000; the winner can take $900 in Gold Coin or Diamond. Coin will be put up at the Raffle.

2nd Prize—A very Fine Jules Gorgerson Watch, Independent Second Hand. Cost $300.

Lowest Throw takes the Diamond Slide, Cost $300.

Next Lowest—A Fine Gold Hunting Watch, Stem-Winder, Cost $130.

EVERY ARTICLE PUT UP AT COST.

A Committee will be appointed on the night of the Raffle by parties concerned. Those who are not satisfied will receive their money back.

No Tickets will be considered good unless paid for previous the Raffle. Persons abroad have the same chance with those present. Parties Purchase Tickets through Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.

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Returns must be made on the 25th Novem ber, 1877

The Prizes can b seen in Mr. Rudolph's Jewelery Store.

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APOLOGY.

MR. J. T. HOWARD, Esquimalt.

HAVING WRONGFULLY PUBLISHED a statement reflecting on your character, and one likely to be injurious to your business, I hereby publicly apologise for so doing, and express my deep regret at having been a party to any such an attempt to injure your business or reputation.

WM. SELLECK.

Globe Inn, Esquimalt,
Sept. 18, 1877. se19 2m

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TUESDAY MORNING, SEPT. 25TH, 1877.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept. 24—Sch C. C. Perkins, Pt Townsend
Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Str Constitution, San Francisco
Str Emma, Nanaimo
Sch Isabella, Nanaimo

CLEARED.

Sept. 24—str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Str Constitution, Pt Townsend
Str Alexander, Fuca Straits.
Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo

PORT OF PORT TOWNSEND.

ENTERED.

Sept. 13—Ship Shirley, San Francisco; str Donald Straitg; str Favorite, Straits.
Sept. 14—Ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma.
15—U.S. Ship Lackawanna, Neah Bay
19—Str Dakota, Seattle

CLEARED.

Sept. 14—Ship Dashing Wave, San Francisco
15—Bktn Emma Augusta, New Caledonia
16—U.S. str Oliver Wolcott, San Juan
19—Str Dakota, Victoria; bk Victor, Honolulu

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmp Constitution, fm San Francisco — A Bunster, A H Hing, A Mayer, A Martin, A & W Wilson, A Bossi, A Vance, A McLean & Co, Burns & Co, bk Don Nicholas, C Bevan, E Grancini, Capt Irving, D Leneveu, English & Co, E B Marvin, E Marvin, Neufelder & Co, Fellows & Roscoe, F Norris, F Eickhoff, G C Keays, C T Seymour, G Bridson, H Saunders, H Holbrook, H Jewell, HMS Fantome, H Mansell, J Weller, S L Kelly & Co, G Montobio, J Cunningham, Kwong Lee, Langley & Co, Lt Com HMS Albatross, MW Waitt & Co, Mansell & Holroyd, Matthews RaT, Moore & Co Mrs Levy, Naval Storekeeper, Oppenheimer Bros, P McQuade & Son, J Rueff, Rickman & Ofner, R T Williams, R W Deane, R Maynard, R Devington, S Pitts, Strouss Briggs KaCo, Sister Providence, TW Graham, T Shotbolt, T Ellis, Tai Cing Tai Chong, Tai Yune, T N Hibben & Co, Turner Beeton & T, Welch-Rithet, W Beaumont, W R Clark, W J Jeffree, W Grim, W Heathorn, W Armstrong, Wells-Fargo, Jas Platt & Co, Rd Roberts, A B Gray & Co, Capt Robinson, Order.

Per str Isabel, fm Puget Sound—Levy, MAW, CGM FDaB, E Risk.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmp Constitution, fm San Francisco— A Bichard, Mrs Cora Shubert, Thos Ellis, J Westheimer, J Shirley, Miss Stane, Mrs F Mickle, Miss McCormick, Comdr P J Jackson, Dr. J S Connell, R. N., and 37 in the steerage.

DEATHS.

At Barkerville, on 9th Sept., 1877, William Hitchcock, Esq., Government Assayer, a native of London, England, in the 54th year of his age.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at the Palace Hotel, corner Yates and Douglas streets, all the effects contained in said Hotel.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before H. C. Courtney, Esq., P.M.)

MONDAY, Sept. 25.

Augustus Dieusy, charged with having stolen a coat from Mr. Reid, also a water-flagon from the Pandora street Presbyterian church.

Alexander Wilson being sworn deposed as follows: That he had cause to believe that the prisoner did on or about the 9th of September steal an electro-plated flagon from the Presbyterian church. The flagon is valued at $10 and upwards; saw the flagon on the morning of the 9th of September in the vestry; there were also two coats belonging to Mr. Reid in the wardrobe with the flagon; identified the water-proof coat produced which was hanging close to the flagon; also identified the Inverness cloak, which was hanging on the next hook.

In answer to the prisoner—Considered that it was quite possible for a man unacquainted with the place to go in and take the various articles,

In answer to the Court—There are two doors giving access to said vestry, one on Blanchard street and the other from the schoolyard; there are two doors from the interior of the church, both of which latter were closed that evening.

Rev. Mr. Reid, being sworn, said he was a clergyman of the Pandora-street church; was officiating on the evening of the 9th instant; recognized the flagon produced; saw the flagon on that morning; it is part of the communion service of the Presbyterian church; identified the Inverness cape and water-proof; valued the two coats at $15 and upwards; missed the various articles immediately at the close of the service.

The Superintendant of Police testified to having arrested the prisoner on the 19th instant; and also to having found the flagon close by a bed in the prisoner's room. The two coats produced he had seen in the pawnbrokers shop.

Aaron Oldenburg being sworn, said he identified the prisonor Augustus Dieusy as the man who brought the two coats produced to his shop and pawned them for $5; this was the 13th September; the prisoner said he was a book-keeper and lived in town.

This case was then remanded for one day for the appearance of Mr. Seeley to prove that the room in which various articles were found was rented by the prisoner.

Rev. Mr. Carnes objected to sign the recognizance as a witness on a former charge to appear at the Supreme Court unless his expenses were paid to and from the Sound.

His Honor informed him that unless he signed that he could not leave the Court.

Rev. Mr. Carnes then signed the recognizance.

John Barden, charged with being a deserter from the H. M. S. Shah, was ordered to be handed over to the naval authorities.

Ed. Bell, Robt. Henly and Walter Ryles, charged with having refused to do duty on board the Halton Castle and having gone ashore without leave.

Capt. Angel being sworn produced the articles, the names of the prisoners being on the said articles—two as able seamen and the other as an ordinary seamen; the articles were signed on the 17th March, 1877; expected to be ready for sea in about ten days.

The case was remanded for one week and should the captain require the men, they are to be sent down.

The Superintendent of Police was ordered to see that the expenses of their keep in gaol be paid.

Licensing Court.

Before His Worship the Mayor, M. C. Courtney (Police Magistrate), and Mr. McLean J. P.

MONDAY, 24th September.

The application of Messss. Jackson and and White for a retail license for the Palace saloon was granted; also an application of transfer of license from Henry Noble to John Wilson for the Fountain saloon.

THE steamship Constitution sailed for Puget Sound ports at 5 o'clock this morning.

DYKING THE FRASER.

A Practicable Scheme at Last.

For the past six weeks a gentleman named E. L. Derby, a civil engineer from Napanee, Ontario, has been engaged in examining and surveying lands subject to overflow in the Sumas and Chilliwhack sections of Fraser Valley with the object of reclaiming and settling upon them a colony of Canadians from Ontario. Mr. Derby is of opinion that 20,000 acres now submerged may be reclaimed and another 20,000 acres protected from overflow by backwater at a comparatively small expense. He has laid his plan before the Local Government and his views have been met in every particular. Hon. Mr. Vernon, who visits the Mainland to-day, will accompany Mr. Derby to New Westminster, where they will be met by Hon. E. Brown, and the three gentlemen will proceed to Sumas to inspect the ground proposed to be dyked. We learn from Mr. Derby, who has lately completed extensive dyking enterprises in California, and has a high opinion of the richness of Fraser Valley, that a colony of ninety-six persons, who will bring with them at least $100,000, are prepared to settle on the reclaimed lands, which it is proposed to have drained and ready for settlement next year. The precise nature of the terms arranged with the Government has not transpired; but it is understood that no aid in the form of money is asked. It is pleasant to know from all sides that so much attention is being drawn to the agricultural lands of the Province, and that through the encouragement given by the present progressive Government there is every prospect that in the course of a very few years British Columbia, from being a large importer of wheat, will become a large exporter.

The U. S. Lackawana.

The U. S. warship Lackawana is now on Puget Sound. She carries 213 officers and men, of the former of which the following is a list: Captain, Wm. P. McCann; Lieutenant commanding, C.J. Train, ex-officer; Lieutenants, W.W. Gilpatrick, B. S. Richards, D. Delehanty, E. S. Prime, W. C. Strong; Chief Engineer, J. S. Albert; Surgeon, A. C. Rhoades; Paymaster, H. T. Wright; 2d Lieut., O. C. Berryman, U.S.M.C.; Assistant Surgeon, E. M. Martin; Midshipmen, S. Brown, H. C. Gearing, C. F. Pond; Assistant Engineers, W. C. Eaton, G. W. Snyder; Boatswain, J. Harding; Gunner, Jno. Russell; Carpenter, W. Barnard; Sailmaker, Wm. Ridstone; Captain's Clerk, A. E. Barbour; Pay Clerk, David Vaughn. The vessel carries 11 guns, 10 of which are Rodman. One of the latter, aft the mainmast, weighs 15,940 pounds and has an 11-inch calibre. On the forcastle is a Parrot gun weighing 5,350 pounds, and on the larboard quarter a Gatling gun. The vessel is 250 feet in length with 38 feet breadty of beam, and a model of neatness and order.

The Telephone

Was tested the other day over the extraordinary distance of 240 miles Donnolly's yeast powder agent was standing by and remarked one million boxes of Donnolley's yeast powder was consumed daily; the party on the other end heard it, and answered, there is millions in it. Donnolly's agent enquired, "Do you mean the Powder or the Telephone?" Both; just think of it talking to a person about Donnolly's yeast powder 240 miles away.

UNION PIC-NIC, CEDAR HILL.—"One of Them" writes:—Your numerous readers will no doubt be pleased to hear that the people of Cedar Hill district enjoyed a very pleasant time on Saturday last. The lodge of Good Templars and the Sabbath School joined in holding a basket pic-nic at Cadboro Bay. Although the weather threatened rain it held off, and the afternoon was spent to the entire satisfaction of all present. After partaking of the good things, which the people of Cedar Hill are famous for providing on such occasions, some of the party engaged in boating on the bay; others joined in various games and amusements, while others still whiled away the few short hours in holding "sweet converse" together. The party separated at about six p.m. Before separating James Deans, Esq., proposed three cheers for the Good Templars of Cedar Hill, which was responded to most heartily. Three cheers were also given for J. Sinclair, Esq., the Superintendent of the Sabbath School. The lodge here now numbers nearly forty members and is doing a good work. They meet every week and pass a couple of hours together most harmoniously.

THE EMERSON MINSTRELS.—This great company will arrive at Victoria on Thursday and will play the same evening at Theatre Royal. Mr. Wash Norton, the champion dancer, and Mr. Carl Steel, musical director, are of the original Christy's Minstrels from St. James Hall, Piccadilly, London. Mr. Emerson is world renowned as the finest Ethiopian extant. Seats may be secured at Redfern's jewelry store.

EIGHTY DAYS ROUND THE WORLD.—Last evening, in spite of the rain, Theatre Royal was again well filled by persons desirous of taking a trip round the world. The acting of the various artists was excellent and in several cases most amusing, especially so in the San Francisco scene. The company leave this morning for the Sound with, we feel sure, the good wishes of all.

"MEDLEY WALTZ," introducing the popular melodies of "Don't make a noise;" "I'll keep a Sweet Kiss for you, Darling;" "Awfully Awful," and "Hit Him Again," is the latest publication of the music house of Matthias Gray, of 105 Kearney street, San Francisco.

NAVAL.—Staff Commander Jackson, and Dr. Connell, R.N., joined H. M. S. Shah, yesterday, having just arrived from England.

BECALMED.—It was rumored yesterday that there were no less than 5 vessels becalmed on the American side of the Straits.

THE DON NICHOLAS.—Mr. Bichard, owner of this ship, has arrived from San Francisco to arrange for the necessary repairs.

THE steamer Isabel arrived 11:45 a. m. yesterday with the mails, about 25 passengers and a small freight.

CIVILIZATION is advancing. Tenders are asked for the erection of a gaol at Cowichan.

THE telegraph lines were down yesterday, and a heavy storm reported South of Seattle.

Chilliwhack.

Our correspondent writing on the 21st states:—An Indian from Kultus Lake, and a relation of Capt. John, was murdered by another Indian at Nootsack, W. T., on the 16th inst. The murderer was followed into British Columbia, and when they came to Upper Sumas, they found out that a canoe was taken away; they then speedily made for Miller's Landing. Presently they saw a canoe approaching in which there was an Indian, who answered the description of the murderer. They concealed themselves and allowed him to enter Mr. Miller's store, when one went to each door and "nabbed" him while in the act of purchasing ammunition and bowie-knives. Mr. McGillivary, J. P., was sent for, and as he had no jurisdiction, he, with the Indians, handcuffed the murderer and forwarded him with a letter to the authorities of Washington Territory. The deceased Indian was an industrious and peaceable person. The murderer wore a bad countenance, carried two guns, and intended to have plenty of ammunition and bowie-knives. It was lucky that he was apprehended before committing another murder.

Arrival of the Constitution.

The steamship Constitution, Capt. Seabury, arrived at Esquimalt at 12 a. m., yesterday. The Constitution, which was built in 1861, has a tonnage of 3575, and is 342 feet in length. She has accommodation for 150 passengers. The staterooms are large, and very handsomely furnished. The saloons are spacious and beautifully decorated. The great ship, as she came alongside the wharf, appeared like a row of two-story frame buildings afloat in the harbor. The officers and crew of the City of Panama were transferred to the Constitution at San Francisco, and brought the lastnamed ship to this port. The crew numbers 73 persons. The freight of the Constitution is 452 tons, 184 tons oi which are for Victoria. She had 27 cabin and 56 steerage passengers.

SEATTLE, W.T.—Mr. Wheeler, the advance agent of the Emerson Minstrels arrived last night. They will perform here Tuesday and leave for down Sound and Victoria. The verdict in the case of Harry Sutton was manslaughter. Thompson, who was found guilty of the murder of Baxter at the Renton coal mines, is to be hanged on the 28th. There are petitions being circulated for commutation of the sentence. The revenue cutter Oliver Wolcott will leave here Monday at noon for Tacoma, there to meet Gen. Sherman of the U.S.A., who will go to Port Townsend thence to San Juan and from there to Victoria. In regard to the excursion offered by the P.M.S.S.Co. on the Constitution for $40, the Puget Sounders don't think much of it as an excursion when they can go by the way of Portland and return for $30. The Alki Base Ball Club will attend the Salem Fair and take part in the base ball tournament: first premium, $200; second $100. An Indian caught at Muckilteo last week 7000 salmon and sold them to Myers & Jackson of that place for $350. The Lackawana, U.S.N., is lying at Port Townsend. Piper has on exhibition in his window a bust of the late Arthur Phinney of Port Ludlow. Judge Lewis has sentenced the following criminals at Port Townsend: For selling whisky to Indians, Wm. Goellert, one year in the Penitentiary; R. Freeman, one year and $100 fine with costs; W. Longpray, six months and $100 fine with costs; Barrett, six months and costs.—J.L.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER No. 120.—At the annual convocation of this Chapter, held under the supreme Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Scotland held yesterday, the following office bearers were duly installed by M. E. Past Principal, Henry Brown, assisted by Past Principals Eli Harrison and H. F. Heisterman: M. E.C. Eli Harrison, jr., 1st Principal, Z; M.E.C. Thos. Shotbolt, 2nd Principal, H; M.E.C. Wm. Harrison, 3d, J; M. E. C. H. F. Heisterman. Scribe E; E.C. E. C. Neufelder, Scribe N; E. C. A. Astrico, Treasurer E. C., Robt. Laing, 1st Sojourner; E. C. Geo. Kirsop, 2nd Sojourner; E.C. Geo. Thomson, 3d Sojourner; C. John Teague, Janitor. We understand the Chapter is in a most flourishing condition. Last evening the brethren sat down to a banquet at the Chapter room.

ENCOURAGING OPINION OF VICTORIA'S PROSPECTS.—One of the delegates to the Good Templars Convention recently held in this city, writes to the Port Townsend *Argus*: "Since our last visit to this place, about three years ago, a marked improvement may be noted; especially an improvement in the general appearance of the town, its buildings, etc. Figuratively speaking, the first generation of the houses are passing away among the things of the past; and, while the hand of enterprise and thrift demolishes those relics of early days, the same agent replaces them with brick and stone edifices. Victoria indeed presents many unmistakable evidences of prosperity, and a permanent, prosperous growth."

SALMON RIVER COUNTRY.—Mr. Stephens, C.E., and party returned from Salmon river Saturday. They do not bring back as glowing a report of the country for agricultural purposes as was hoped. The farming land is very limited and the nature of the country mountainous and rugged.

DONNELLY'S YEAST POWDERS.—Mr. Butcher, traveling agent for these celebrated powders, has passed several days in town, during which he has advanced the interests of the house he represents in a very marked manner.

THE British debt is now $3,800,000,000. Since 1858, nineteen years, the decrease has been $318,228,365. The debt of the United States is $2,059,339,318. At the close of the great war it was $2,873,692,909. Decrease in twelve years, $814,653,591.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. J. C. Keith's mare, while in a field on the Hillside farm on Sunday last, had its leg broken by a kick from a horse. The fracture was so bad as to necessitate the mare being shot.

NEAH BAY, W.T.—Mr. Huntington, Indian Agent at Neah Bay, is being examined on a charge of peculation with U. S. Government funds.

GEN. SHERMAN, commander-in-chief of the United States army, is now in Oregon, and after visiting Puget Sound and San Juan Island, will come to Victoria.

UTSALADY, W.T.—J. Cranney, late of the Utsalady mills, has been discharged from all his liabilities.

The Recuscitation of Coriboo.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF COLONIST.]

BARKERVILLE, Sept. 15, 1877.

Writing from a place where newspapers are printed is an easy task. An epitome of news can gathered which with a summary and comments would fill the bill; but the press is silent at Barkerville until some enterprising man can be induced to try the costly experiment of reviving the Cariboo *Sentinel*. I can give you an original piece of poetry, which has never been published, suggested by the weather of the past three days—yesterday, to-day and to-morrow. It is entitled "The snow, the beautiful"——; but, hold on! I believe the subject has been handled by other and "mose prolific pens"—and, if I remember rightly, several authors of "beautiful snow" met with an untimely death; so I will refrain.

QUARTZ, QUARTZ, QUARTZ!

The whole country is alive with quartz. Prospectors are scouring the hills and mountains, and one hears of ledges being found in every direction—the richest being always the most distant and inaccessible. Already the miners talk knowingly of sulphurets, lead, antimony, shale, blow-pipe assays, native silver and foreign substances. Locations are daily being made and some as readily abandoned. The whole matter is entirely new and the experience has still to be bought. As yet no very rich discoveries have been made. The assays average twenty or twenty-five dollars per ton; but this, it must be remembered, is from surface ore. Several much higher assays have been obtained, but I give you the average. The ledges vary in thickness from one to forty feet. Most prominent and of first importance is the

BONANZA LEDGE

of the Cariboo Quartz Mining Co. This ledge is known to extend from the Jenkins gravel claim on Stout Gulch to the head of Lowhee, crossing the Victoria Co's claim, in which diggings it is exposed,—thence across the mountain to Jack of Clubs Lake. The surface quartz, unlike that of the other ledges, is more impregnated with sulphurets and promises to become a very valuable mine as a greater depth is obtained. The company is now running a tunnel 150 feet, which when completed will top the ledge at a depth of 50 feet. Assays now from the surface show the average I have already stated. The same company is now engaged in opening their claim on the

STEADMAN LEDGE,

located on William Creek, nearly opposite the court house. This and the Bonanza quartz will be worked in the mill as soon as the pans and settler can be placed. The pans and machinery now *en route* will be here on Monday, the 17th, and

THE FIRST TEST

made a week from that date. I need not tell you how anxiously we await the result of the first week from our four-stamp mill, and as our expectations from the assays are not sanguine we shall the more readily accept the result as a stimulus to sink deeper, feeling perfectly satisfied of the permanent character of our true fissure veins, and the certainty of increased richness as shown in the Steadman. It will take capital to work these mines or even to thoroughly prospect them, as the water becomes troublesome from the surface down; and the expense of testing ore will at first be much greater than when other and larger mills now contemplated shall have been erected. Aside from the cost of freight a quartz mill can be made to pay better, with wood at only $4 per cord, than in Nevada. I refer to custom mills, crushing for the miners. But I will leave mill, wood and water speculations for the present, and tell you that

MR. HARPER

is assisting the miners with his knowledge, and will soon turn out a respectable number of quartz prospectors and knowledgeable men. As it will be necessary to assort the quartz very closely before crushing they will soon learn to distinguish good from indifferent rock. Extensions of the Bonanza and Steadman ledges are being located in a north-westerly and south-easterly direction; but it will be difficult to do much this winter. As I have already hinted the snow is upon us and heralds the advent of winter.

MR. BEETON

paid us a visit and will tell you the story of Cariboo as he saw it, and you will find him well fortified with facts and specimens. A few more such enterprising men might with profit visit the ledges of Cariboo, and see for themselves the great future in store for British Columbia. You must not think because I only write quartz that our creek, hill and ravine diggings are worked out; not at all. On the contrary it is only now being demonstrated that a greater field than ever is open for extensive hydraulic workings, and the field is an inexhaustable and most profitable one.

LANE AND KURTZ.

Never came a more welcome telegram over the wires, and never a paper more welcome than yours confirmatory of the report that work on the Lane and Kurtz mine would be resumed with Mr. Harper as the Superintendent. This news, coupled with the arrival of our expert, accompanied by his assayer Mr. Insteroth, caused old Barkerville to rejoice—the city of flagstaffs, rickety sidewalks, doubtful steps, slantingdicular houses, its meandering creek full of tales and tailings, and old Bald Mountain cheerily looking down upon the happy, hopeful faces, sunburt and toilworn, yet beaming with expectations of the future. The pioneers hail with delight the signs of promise, when the lazy waters shall be utilized, and the hills still more closely cropped of their rain-forcing powers, and sunshine in more sense than one find its way to the hearts and pockets of the Cariboo merchants and that ubiquitous being the oldest inhabitant who knew it and always told you so!

JOHN KURTZ.

THE SHAH AND THE HUASCAR.—We understand that the law officers of the Crown, having given their opinion that the course taken by Admiral DeHorsey in engaging the Peruvian ironclad was justifiable on grounds of international law, the Admiralty and Lord Derby, as Foreign Secretary, have signified to Admiral DeHorsey their approval of his conduct in having put a stop to the lawless proceedings of the Huascar.—*London Times, Aug. 24.*

THE steam tug Alexander left yesterday at 4 p.m. to tow the bark Marmion up the straits.

CUSTOM HOUSE BLANKS in any quantity for sale at THE COLONIST OFFICE.

Obituary.

The entire community of Cariboo was plunged into grief last Sunday on learning that Mr. William Hitchcock, Assayer in charge of the Government Assay Office, was no more.

Mr. Hitchcock had been suffering for some time from illness, which he bore with the utmost fortitude, but it was only very recently that his friends felt any claim as to his condition, and it was but a week before his decease that on the recommendation of his medical advise, he was induced to apply for leave of absence, the necessary assent was communicated at once by the telegraph, but before it reached here he had been summoned to whence leave of absence is no more to be desired.

Mr. Hitchcock had been in the Government service about eighteen years, eight of which he spent in Cariboo, during which he was most assiduous in the discharge of the important duties of his office, succeeding by his correctness in business and amiable demeanor in securing the respect and friendship of all who had the pleasure of making his acquaintance.

The funeral obsequies were conducted by Rev. Mr. Sexsmith, and the remains were followed to the cemetery by a very large concourse, the Assize Court, which was in session, having been adjourned for the occasion by the Chief Justice.

To the bereaved widow of the lamented deceased, who was a most affectionate husband, the heartfelt sympathy of a large circle or sorrowing friends is sincerely accorded.

BARKERVILLE, Sept. 15th, 1877.

WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST.—This publication will be ready for mailing at the bookstores and publication office to-day. It is the largest and best paper in the Province.

(Oregonian.)

WORKINGMEN ON THE WARPATH.

Incendiary Speeches—The Rope and Torch Advised.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—There was a large mass meeting of unemployed workingmen at Union Hall to-night. The speeches were of the most incendiary character. The speakers bitterly inveighed against the Chinese, and proposed that workingmen arm and organize and put themselves in position to enforce their commands despite the safety committees, police and militia. An open air mass meeting is called for next Sunday, and a street parade proposed at an early date. Some 2,500 people of both sexes were present. T. Day occupied the chair and introduced Phil Roach as the first speaker. Mr. Roach dwelt on the grievances of the laboring class in the city, decried the employment of an extra police during the late disturbances, claiming that the money paid them would have been better expended upon public improvements, and that the safety committee should have advanced money for the employment of the people instead of for payment of extra police.

D. Kearney followed in a highly incendiary speech. He said every workingman must add a musket to his household property, and claimed that within a year there will be at least twenty thousand laborers in this city, well armed and organized and able to demand and take what they want despite military, police and hoodlum safety committee. He not only threatened the Chinese with summary treatment but inveighed against the capitalists of the State, giving the names of many and revelling in such terms as "hanging is necessary," "a few fires will clear the atmosphere," etc., declared he knew his speech was incendiary and intended it should be; that he knew the press would blame him, but he did not care for the leprous friendship of the press.

The chairman commented on Kearney's speech, saying it might be considered incendiary, but desperate remedies may be required before the Chinese are got rid of. He then attacked the national government on the ground that it had tried for years to enslave the laboring classes.

Patrick Healy followed with an address more incendiary, if possible, than the preceding ones. Naming a dozen prominent citizens, he proposed, as a solution of the labor question, that they should be hung first, then the Chinese taken in hand. He advised his hearers to join the militia, that they might by so doing obtain arms to use as occasion may require. He thought it would be better either to swear allegiance to Great Britain or throw off the yoke of the union and create a workingman's republic of the Pacific Coast. He spoke at length against free trade, and declared capitalists must be put down at all hazards.

Mrs. Swift, a prominent California street stock brokeress, spoke in favor of the workingmen, but thought before the workingmen talked of driving away the Chinese they had better teach their wives and daughters to take their places.

It was resolved that a headquarters be established where unemployed workingmen may assemble and sign their names as members of a self protective organization. A resolution was adopted appointing Mayor Bryant a committee of one to receive subscriptions in aid of unemployed workingmen from the persons whom the speakers had expressed a desire to hang. It was also resolved to hold a mass meeting Sunday and a big street parade soon. The meeting was very enthusiastic and the remarks of the speakers loudly cheered.

NEW GOODS AT ALBION HOUSE.—A. B. Gray & Co. have received by this steamer nine cases of dry goods comprising: Jouvin Kid Gloves, Fancy Silk and Crape Ties, Black Silks, New Ribbons, Velvets, Back and Round Combs, New Dress Buttons, Toilet Sets, Brush and Comb Bags, Cloaking Cashmere, Ladies' Corsets, Children's Bibs, Lace Curtains and short Blinds, Dress Goods in great variety, &c., &c. Also, a full supply of staple Dry Goods.

Lately received, a fresh stock of the celebrated "Raymond Lockstitch Sewing Machines" with new special improvements; the best machine in the market.—Government Street, Aug. 16, 1877.

REMOVAL.—Dr. Cool, Dentist, has removed his office to Fort street, opposite the Mechanics Literary Institute Building.

DR. HEWES, Magnetic Healer, will be in Victoria for ten days. Office at the residence of O. C. Hastings, View street near Blanchard.

DR. COOL has removed to Fort street opposite the Mechanics Literary Institut, Building.

Auction Sales

THIS DAY,

AUCTION SALE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell by Public Auction at the

Palace Hotel, corner Yates and Douglas streets,

By order of Messrs. James, Walker & Co

—ON—

Tuesday, Sept. 25th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

ALL THE EFFECTS IN SAID HOTEL,

Comprising Walnut, Maple and Mahogany bedsteads, bureaus, washstands, tables, chairs, looking-glasses, engravings, pulu, spring and hair beds, mattrasses, pillows, blankets, sheets, counterpanes, chamber sets, lace curtains, C.O. lamps, wardrobes, cornices, Brussels carpets contained in

ELEVEN BEDROOMS.

Also, WINES and LIQUORS in wood and bottle, Liqueurs,

FINE BOURBON WHISKEY,

Cigars, Looking-glass, Bar Fixtures, Oilcloth, Counter, Chandelier, choice Engravings and Glassware.

ALSO—Hall and stair carpet, rods, sewing machine, lounges, whotnot, Brussels carpets,

HANDSOME BRONZE CLOCK,

Sideboard, fine engravings, hearthrugs, gasfittings, astral lamps, ornaments, cabinet sewing machine, tables, chairs, parlor stoves, extension chairs,

DININGROOM FURNITURE,

Crockery, glassware, silver-plated ware, table cutlery, and a full assortment of

KITCHEN FURNITURE,

Extension Back Iron-clad Cook Range, with fittings complete.

☞ The Auctioneers call the attention of intending buyers to the above sale. Most of the articles have been purchased within the past two months, two-thirds of them have never been used, the whole of which can be purchased at Private Sale,

For particulars apply to

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se16 Auctioneers

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

J. P. Davies & Co.

Will sell on arrival of BARK MARMION

11 Crates of

ENGLISH EARTHENWARE,

Consisting of handled and unhandled London and Irish Teas, Ewers, Basins, covered Chambers, Soap & Brush Trays, Mugs, Vases, Teapots, Creams, Sugars, Dishes, Bakers, Vegetable Dishes, Twifflers, Soups, etc.

ALSO,

38 casks Assorted GLASSWARE.

Plain fluted and star goblets, 3rd pint and fluted ale glasses, bar tumblers, coblers, soda tumblers, lager glasses opal sets and syrup jugs.

Lamp Chimnies,

Particulars hereafter.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se15 Auctioneers.

THE SALE

Of Farming Implements, advertized to take place on Monday, is Postponed until the balance of the effects shall arrive from Alberni.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.
se23 Auctioneers.

NOTICE

Estate of F. RICHARDSON, of Chemainus, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Live Stock, Crops, Farming Implements and other effects, will be sold, by order of the Official Administrator, by Public Auction on the premises,

On Wednesday, 3rd Day of October next, at 12 o'clock Noon.

The Live Stock consists of—

35 head of Horned Cattle,
3 Horses,
50 Pigs,
50 Tons Hay,
3 Tons Potatoes,
Peas and Oats (unthrashed),
Thrashing Machine,
Mowing Machine,
Ploughs, &c., &c.

JOHN MORLEY,
se21dw Maple Bay.

Sandwich Islands

RICE AND MOLASSES,

EX BARK OCEAN GEM, FOR SALE BY

WELCH RITHET & CO.,
au21 Wharf Street.

SUGAR.

500 MATS STRICTLY No. 1 CHINA SUGAR.

For Sale by
J. RUEFF & CO.,
au91 1m Government St.

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE UNDERsigned must be presented before the 1st October next, and all persons indebted to him are requested to make immediate payment.

CHARLES SCHAFFER.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11th. se12

F. Neufelder & Co.

OFFER FOR SALE

4,000 LBS. CHOICE BUTTER

Made by Mr. C. M. BEAK, 105-Mile Post.
se16 1m

Carriage for Hire.

☞ W. G. BOWMAN'S CARRIAGE will be found from this date in front of his Livery Stable on Yates street.

July 11th, 1877. jy12

Educational.

YOUNG LADIES' DAY SCHOOL,

KANE STREET, VICTORIA.

MRS. BUSHELL RESPECTFULLY ANnounces that she will commence giving instruction in the various branches of education on Monday, September 24th.

Boys from Six years to Ten.
Instruction on the Pianoforte as usual.
For particulars apply to MRS. BUSHELL.
se16

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE been commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra sts., by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to
jal4 MRS. CRIDGE.

ANGELA COLLEGE,

VICTORIA.

FOR THE EDUCATION OF YOUNG LAdies, Boarders and Day Pupils.

VISITOR—THE LORD BISHOP OF COLUMBIA.
LADY PRINCIPAL - - - MISS PERCEVAL
ASSISTA - - - - - MISS WRIGHT
MATRON & ASSTANT TEACHER—MRS. C. WARD

The College Reopens Aug. 9th, 1877.

Application for admission to be made to
MISS PERCEVAL,
jy22 2m Angela College, Victoria.

Insurance.

Fire Insurance

The Scottish Commercial

INSURANCE COMPANY

Capital £2,000,000, Sterling.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,

General Agents for British Columbia.
se4

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY,

ESTABLISHED, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING,
Accumulated Funds - - £3,286,126.
LOSSES SETTLED WITH PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY.

T. ALLSOP & CO., Agents,
se4 Government street.

MARINE INSURANCE.

The Union Insurance Co.

OF SAN FRANCISCO,

ASSETS OVER $1,000,000.

FOR INSURING MERCHANDISE, TREAsure, Commissions, Profits, &c.

Insurances Accepted under English or San Francisco Conditions.

For information, Rates of Premium, &c., apply to

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,

AGENTS.

WHARF STREET, Victoria. ap4

Imperial Fire Insurance

COMPANY.

1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.

Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
my10 And Washington Territory.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS

FAMILY

BUTCHER.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY'S ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.

Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.
mh10 LONDON MARKET

New Supplies and Great Bargains

ARE TO BE HAD AT THE

TERMINUS STORE,

QUESNELMOUTH.

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Patent Medicines

Of the best qualities and in varieties. ALSO,

THE BEST BRANDS OF FLOUR,

BACON & BEANS

At prices to suit the times.

Strict attention paid to Storing and Forwarding of Goods.
ap24dw0m JAS. REID.

RUPTURE CURED!

BY THE CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS, the greatest modern invention of the age. This Elastic Truss combines the merits of all others. No iron hoops or injurious springs. A child can adjust and wear it with ease and comfort day and night. Will cure the worst cases of RUPTURE. Call and examine or send for Circular. CALIFORNIA ELASTIC TRUSS COMPANY, 615 Sacramento street San Francisco, Cal. je16cowdw0m

CONSTANTINOPLE MARKET,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Opp. Metropolitan Restaurant.

FRUIT & VEGETABLES, GAME of all kinds, Fish, etc., constantly on hand and
au25 Warranted Fresh.

New Advertisements.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Of the City of Victoria as at 31st July, 1877, and Estimated to 31st December, 1877.

DR.

Outstanding Liabilities and Current Expenses to 31st December, 1877, viz:—	
W. P. Sayward	$ 1,264 24
Henry Rhodes & Co	1,677 04
Thomas Preece	2,278 85
Extension of Main	6,600 00
Coffer Dam Gate and Ditch	2,220 00
Arbitration Claim and Expenses (Est'd.)	3,000 00
Actual Current Expenses from 31st July to 31st Dec., 1877	9,478 00
Interest and Sinking Fund	8,138 00
Claim, Andrew Astrico	2,500 00
Men's Labor on the Streets, etc	750 00
Provincial Government, their proportion of the Wholesale and Retail Liquor Licenses to 31st Dec., 1877	2,000 00
	$39,906 13
Balance being probable deficit at end of the year	$ 8,650 39

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Amount of Revenue available for meeting Liabilities and Current Expenses:—	
Bank B. N. A., Cr. Balance	$ 2,058
Balance of Revenue to be Collected	29,197 00
Balance	8,650 39
	$39,906 13

MEMO:—In the above Estimates nothing has been allowed for Contingencies or Street Improvements.

R. FINLAYSON,
J. H. TURNER, } Finance Committee.
C. E. REDFERN,
se9

SUGAR!

CARGO OF THE

Schooner UNA from Peru,

CONSISTING OF ABOUT 250 TONS CHOICE

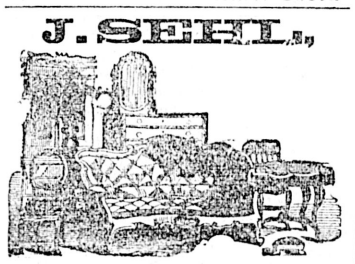
PERUVIAN SUGAR!

Selected Expressly for this Market.

For Sale in Lots to Suit by

R. CARR,
jy28 Wharf Street.

J. SEHL,



Importer and Manufacturer of

FURNITURE,

In every variety, has just received at a Low Rate of Freight, direct from Eastern Manufacturers, the largest and best assortment of

Walnut, Parlor and Bedroom Suites,

EXTENSION & CENTRE TABLES,

Wardrobes, Desks,

PIER AND MANTLE MIRRORS

Of the Finest Description, all of the Latest Styles, which I am enabled to sell at LOWER PRICES than ever before offered in the Province.

An inspection of the Goods and Prices will satisfy you of the fact.

SOLID WALNUT BEDROOM SUITES from $70 upward.

CHAIRS from 50 cents upward.

ALSO—Just received a fine

COLLECTION OF PICTURES,

Consisting of Steel and Mezzotint Engravings, Oleographs, Chromos, Photos and Lithographs,

Walnut, Rosewood and Rustic Frames and Mouldings,

Carved Brackets,
Cornices Window Blinds,
China and Cocoa Matting,
Carpets, Door Mats.

REVERSIBLE PERAMBULATORS,

Spring, Hair, Patent Curled Wool, Eureka and other MATTRESSES made to order by a first-class Upholsterer,

Carpets Sewed and Laid,

Everything warranted as represented.

Goods delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge. no12

WELLINGTON

COLLIERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED to

Supply Cargoes of

WELLINGTON COAL

At Their Wharves,

DEPARTURE BAY

AS HERETOFORE.

DUNSMUIR, DIGGLE & CO'Y

DEPARTURE BAY, 7th June, 1877.
je9dw

W. R. CLARKE,

AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION

MERCHANT,

Fireproof Brick Building, Yates St.

VICTORIA.

Real Estate, Furniture and Goods of all Descriptions Sold at Reasonable Rates.

A few Private Homesteads to be Sold.

CONSIGNMENTS of Merchandise of all kinds respectfully solicited. ap7

SMOKERS

WE HAVE AGAIN TO CALL YOUR ATtention to the numerous

IMITATIONS OF THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED

MYRTLE

Navy Tobacco!

DON'T BE DECEIVED. THE STAMP

T & B

In Gilt Letters is on Each Plug of the Genuine.

FOR SALE BY **J. H. TODD,**
Sole Agent for B. C.
VICTORIA, July 28, 1877. jy29dw2m

"QUARTZ ACT, 1877."

THE SUM OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia to "The Company which first erects, at some place north of the Quesnelle River within the Electoral District of Cariboo and in the neighborhood of some well defined Quartz Ledge, a good and sufficient Ten Stamp Quartz Mill capable of crushing ten tons of Quartz per diem, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council," in accordance with the provisions of the "Quartz Act, 1877."

By Order,
T ELWYN,
Deputy Minister of Mines.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
31st May, 1877. je1

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO'Y.

BANKERS,

Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN GOLD, SILVER and U. S. Currency. Interest paid on the same on time deposits.

GOLD DUST & U. S. CURRENCY

PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.

Sight Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers on San Francisco, New York and Canada.

EXCHANGE on LONDON

Available in all parts of Europe, England, Ireland and Scotland.

LETTERS of CREDIT

Issued on the Principal Cities of the United States, Canada and Europe.

AGENTS WELLS, FARGO & CO.
jy8

Dominion Government

SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO present their PASS BOOKS at the office in Government street, as early as it may be convenient, for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th of June, 1877.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Manager.
VICTORIA, B.C., Aug. 18, 1877. au19

PLAITING & FLUTING MACHINES

FOR SALE.

DRESSMAKING, ETC.

THE LADIES OF VICTORIA ARE INvited by the undersigned to inspect the Fluting and Plaiting Machine now in her possession. Samples of 40 different sorts of Plaiting done by this machine (the only one of the kind in Victoria) constantly on exhibition by the undersigned, who holds from the patentee the sole right for the sale of the machine in British Columbia.

Trimmings made to order in every style.

MRS. HALPENNY,
no2 Dressmaker, etc., Yates st., Victoria.

Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent,

Government St., near corner of Broughton

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage on in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

J. FINLAYSON,

FAMILY GROCER,

Tea and Coffee Dealer,

Fort street.

BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.

Goods delivered to any part of the city

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept **Coin for Rent,** as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,

Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED
mh11

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

BUTCHERS,

S. E. Cor. of Government & Johnson Streets,

PURVEYORS BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT TO

THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL & COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN, AND HIS HONOR THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

The Largest and Choicest Assortment of

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I.
jy12

PHELPS, WADLEIGH & CO.

Wholesale and Retail

BUTCHERS

Brick Building N. W. Corner of Yates and Broad Streets, Victoria, B. C.

YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.

VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875 my5

NOTICE.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE

HAVING DETERMINED TO

Relinquish the Dry Goods Trade,

OFFER FOR SALE THEIR STOCK OF

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING

HOSIERY, HATS, CAPS, ETC.,

At Greatly Reduced Prices.

BY WHOLESALE ONLY.

WHARF STREET, Sept. 1st, 1877. se2 1m

FRESH GOODS, NEW STYLES!

H. MANSELL

Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already

Well Selected Stock of

BOOTS & SHOES,

Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.

Country Orders promptly attended to.

Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.
jy20

REMOVAL

Mr. John Teague,

ARCHITECT,

Has removed his office to

Government Street, below Fort, opposite the Hook & Ladder House.
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JAMES SYME,

ARCHITECT

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
jc3 1m VICTORIA, B. C.

Royal Mail Stage,

Between Victoria and Esquimalt,

ON AND AFTER APRIL 1st.

Leaves Victoria for Esquimalt at 8 and 11½ a. m and 4½ p.m.

Leaves Esquimalt for Victoria at 9½ a. m. and 1½ and 5½ p.m.

Fare, 25 Cents.

Parcels left at W. J. Jeffree's clothing store will be promptly delivered.
mh27 JOHN PORTER, Proprietor.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

DOMINION HOUSE

YATES STREET, NEAR BLANCHARD,

One of the Pleasantest Locations in Victoria.

THIS HOUSE HAS BEEN REFITTED AND Refurnished from top to bottom, and is now one of the most comfortable hotels in Victoria.

Excellent Accommodation is offered to Families and others.

Board and Lodging $6 per Week and Upwards.

Bed and Board per Day	$1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

se15 S. JONES, Proprietor.

PALACE SALOON,

YATES STREET, VICTORIA,

Opposite Barnard's Express Office.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ANNOUNCE to their numerous friends and patrons that they will be happy to see them from this date. The Bar has been supplied with the

Best Brands of Wines and Spirits

The market can produce.
se15 im JACKSON & WHITE.

The Douglas House.

THE SUBSCRIBER BEGS TO ANNOUNCE that he has leased the beautiful and commodious premises, lately the residence of Senator Macdonald, at the corner of Gordon and Courtenay Sts., opposite the Presbyterian Church, and has fitted and furnished them as a

Private Hotel and Boarding House.

The rooms are cheerful and sunny, the grounds are an acre in extent and no effort will be spared to make the establishment the most popular Hotel in Victoria.

Travelers and others will find excellent accommodation at this Hotel.

Board, with or without Lodging.

FRANK G. RICHARDS.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 1, 1877. av2

Post Office SALOON

Government Street,

OPPOSITE UNION HOOK AND LADDER HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED the above premises are prepared to supply the best quality of

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

CLARKE & SAMPSON, Proprietors.
jy14 3m

Globe Inn, Esquimalt

GENTLEMEN VISITING ESQUIMALT WILL find the best of

Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Good Beds and Meals,

To be had at the GLOBE INN.
y26 WM. SELLECK.

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,

STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD

Victoria, B. C.

Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to 6 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in advance.

Fire-proof Safe in the House.
mh18 3m

COLONIAL HOTEL

TRANSFERRED TO THE

Driard House,

VIEW ST., VICTORIA.

First-Class Hotel and Restaurant.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES.

Private Dining Rooms and Parlors.

BILLIARDS.

Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.

None but the very best (directly imported) Wine Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

de14 L. S. LUCAS, Propr.

ANGEL HOTEL,

Langley St, Victoria, B. C.,

FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor

RATES OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
Board per Week	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beads	50

A Fireproof Safe in the House. se3

ROCK BAY HOUSE

BETWEEN THE TWO BRIDGES,

ESQUIMALT ROAD.

IS ONE OF THE MOST COMFORTABLE Wayside Houses in the Province; and being furnished with the very best

ALES, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

Is a favorite stopping-place for persons bound to and from Victoria.

My friends are invited to give me a call.
ap30 3m GUS. KOLP

WHY PAY 50 cents for a MEAL,

When you can procure a

Good Meal for 25 Cents

AT THE

Victoria Restaurant,

Johnson St., Victoria, B.C.

SAMUEL WHITLEY & CO., Proprietors.
au29 3m

War News!

EVERYBODY OUGHT TO GO TO H. WARNER'S

STAR SALOON

And practice in his new **Shooting Gallery** to be prepared for the Russians. The Gallery and Club Rooms open at all hours. au25

FURNITURE.

CROCKERY,

GLASSWARE

Cutlery, Carpets

And all kinds of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

—AT—

Mansell & Holroyd's,

Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.
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